

ITEMS OF **INTEREST**

ABOUT OUR NEIGH-BORS AND FRIENDS CLIPPED FROM OUR **EXCHANGES**

CLARKS. From the Enterprise.

Will and Francis Gates started by wa gon Monday morning for Sterling, Colo. near which place they have taken homesteads.

Crowds of our townepeople flock to the Shoney ranch to watch the big plow throw dirt from the ditch being made across the ranch. It is well worth one's time to go out there and see the monster machine work.

McLean, both of this city were married The horse was also badly cut. Moral, at the home of Mrs. McLean's daughter boys don't try to drive with one hand. at Tekamah on Wednesday, May 4th. They will reside in Clarks where their

ALBION.

From the News.

A few days ago Wm Sinnard lost his new barn by fire. The children playing with matches started a blaze in some hay. His corn and hay were burned as well as the barn, which makes the loss pretty heavy.

The story is told that once a bent old man was busy planting trees along a country way when two young people called out, "Say, old man, you cannot hope to live to eat fruit from those trees por sit in the shade of them; why do you work so hard at so thankless a task? The old man straightened up slowly and resting heavily on the handle of his spade replied, "All my life I have esten fruit and rested in the shade of trees planted by others, and cannot I do as much for those who follow me?"

From the San.

While Misses Nellie and Clara Krasch were out driving Sunday afternoon their horses became frightened at an automobile and ran away. They were thrown out near the Folda ranch, but fortunately escaped with only a few bruises.

Some people think it a mystery that notwithstanding good advice their boys grow up to be wild and reckless young men If these boys were taught from infancy that home was the proper place for them after dark, rather than prowling around the streets, annoying well and sick people alike, much of this mystery might be explained, and young men with better moral character and more intelligent minds would be the result. boy that prowls the streets at night. even if he does go to Sunday school.

coat drove to Columbus last Wednesday from the loss of blood.

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and were united in marriage by the county judge of Platte county. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wescoat of Beulah land and is one of the best and brightest young ladies in Polk county.

The other Sunday afternoon while Tony Blout was taking his best girl to her boarding place in the district where she teaches, his horse became frightened by a team driving around. It became unmanagable and ran into a wire fence, both occupants being thrown into the Charles R. Garrison and Mrs. Anna fence and ent severely with the wire.

A. M. Abbott, one of the early settlers in this precinct and a most respected citizen died at his home five miles north of Shelby, after an illness of only a few weeks, of cancer of the stomach.

SHELBY.

Wendin Zonner aged 53 years living her real worth. six miles north of Shelby, died Wednes day evening after a short illness of drop sy. The funeral was held Saturday at From the Times.

10 o'clock at St. Andrews church in the valley. Deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn the departure of at the family home northeast of Genoa a husband and father who is spoken of by his neighbors as a good man, and an honest industrious and up-right citizen. A couple of wolves attacked a young

calf running with the cow in Adolph Kresha's pasture. Mr. Kresha saw the woives after the calf and immediately went on a wolf hunt and succeeded in killing one of the intruders but not until the calf had been so badly injured that it died. The cow made a furious attack on the wolves but one of them occupied her attention while the other made short work of the calf.

From the Nonparcil.

August Schneiderheinz is back again at his old position in Sayers' meat market. Mr. Schneiderheinz was employed by Mr. Sayers about three years ago, leaving here to go to Omaha Lately he has been working at Columbus. He knows the meat business thoroughly and he and Joe Stollbories will make a team hard to beat.

O. H. Hutson, the Union Pacific section boss at Hordville, received a peculiar and rather serious injury Monday. With his gang he was tearing down some fence and he was driving a wedge into a No parent need expect pure morals in a post with a sledge. A fragment of steel from the wedge was broken loose under one of the blows and the flying iron struck him on the leg just above his knee. It made a hole just like a bullet and severed an artery. He was placed Carl Plageman was in from the Island on the hand-car and brought to Central Monday having his collar bone adjusted. City, where Drs. Benton attended him. He got into a mix up with a horse last The wound bled very freely, but after week and had the misfortune to get the the bleeding was stopped he was able to bone broken. He is the son of Frank walk. The wound will probably occasion no serious consequences, but had Gordon Mace and Miss Florence Weshe been out of the reach of medical
assistance he might have suffered much

Columbus.

Electric Light Walter Matzen came over from Colum-

bus Friday evening of last week. He will stay around this neighborhood for a couple of weeks to visit all of his old friends and bid them good bye before he starts on his European trip. His father and mother went back to Columbus last Sunday afternoon after a weeks visit up

An unfortunate accident occurred on Tuesday evening as the guests were on their way home from the Moran-Clark wedding, Mrs. Ferdinand Clark, of Creston, a lady sixty years of age being the victim. An automobile drove up behind the buggy which frightened the team and Mrs. Clark was thrown out and sustained a broken arm.

As a tired child falls into peaceful sleep, so passed the spirit of Fritz Schroeder to the better world, death having entered the family home in Midland precinct on Friday last. The deceased was a native of Germany, having been born in that country more than eighty-six years ago. In the early seventies he and his wife, with their children left the land of their birth and came to America to make their home in Colfax county. When they took their homestead that section of this county was but thinly settled, and it was their lot to go through all the hardships and privations of the pioneer : days. Undaunted they faced every trial and overcame every obstacle till succees crowned their efforts and their declining years have been spent in the midst of plenty and the comforts that it brings. The kindly old man-a model citizen and a kind and considerate husband and father-will long be remembered by all who knew him.

Following a stroke of paralysis, Mrs. Herman Lueschen passed away at her home nine miles southwest of town, early Tuesday morning. Mrs. Lueschen arose as usual, at about five o'clock, but complained of a severe headache. She grew worse and a stroke of paralysis followed, death relieving her of her sufferings within an hour. In 1869 Mr. and Mrs. Lueschen came to Nebrasks and settled upon the homestead nine miles south of town, which has been their home. To them were born eight children all of whom, with their father, survive. Mrs. Lues chen was sixty-two years of age and : woman whose loss will be keenly felt not only by members of her immediate family but by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, over whom her quiet in. fluence for the better and higher things in life was ever prominent. Her love for her family and her home and her devotion to them came before all other duties and the splendid family which she has given to the world is evidence of

Arthur, aged 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Alfred, died of spinal complaint Wednesday. The funeral was held from

E. S. Vaught says that when a cat is seen esting grass it is a sure sign that rate will fall within twenty-four hours. Tuesday of last week he noticed a cat that hange around his barn cating grass.

Mrs. Charles Stopek died at her home three miles porth of Genoa, early Sunday morning, after an illness of several monthe with Bright's disease. Funeral services were held Monday forenoon at the Catholic church south of the Loup.

The Union Pacific company has order ed all depote painted yellow, a more cheerful color than the dingy red. It is said that the railway company reserve the right to designate the color that elevators, warhouses and other buildings on the right of-way shall be painted, and that notice has been served to paint all the buildings yellow. A gang of workmen arrived in Genoa the first of the week and repainted the depot.

lie Rip Saw: No matter how silly a

The Auburn Republican says that farmers in Nemaha county have been bothered in years past with the wire worm and the corn root lice. An lowa farmer has discovered a simple prevention for this, and it is mexpensive. When he plants his corn he puts a tablespoonful of common sulphur, dry, in each planter box of corn and mix it thoroughly. This will prevent the root lice and wire worms and clean the fields of these pests and will insure a fine stand of corn.

The house wives are on their semi-annual house cleaning crusade and we, poor, down trodden male men have to take our medicine. There is no use squealing, boys. We have tried it but its no go. Just grab a club and go after the rugs and carpets and give 'em what Paddy gave the drum, lug the furniture out and in and partake of your cold grub off the kitchen sink or off the back door porch with a smile. When it is over you can assume your normal way for another six months.

Then What? Mrs. Hoyle-My husband doesn't care for money. Mrs. Doyle-That adds to the mystery as to the motive

for his marriage.-New York Press. Sure Thing.

Time Table No. 22, Pass. (daily ex. Sunday) leave....7.25 a m No. 32, Frt. & Ac. (d'y ex. Satorday) lv.5:00 p m No. 21, Pass. (daily ex. Sunday) arrive...9:20 p m No. 31, Frt. & Ac. (d'y ex. Sunday) ar...6:15 a m

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die impression half off the face of the

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"They call it a misstrike," be con-

tinued. "Perhaps once in 10,000,000

times the two little notched fingers on

the minting machines that grip the

blank disk and draw it forward to the

die fail to spring away. In this case

the left hand finger stuck and pushed

the coin halfway over the die. That

"You can see the raised edge on the

blank portion of the metal," the cash-

ier went on as he took up his pen. "It

isn't everybody knows that each coin

goes under the dies twice. The first

time it is struck with a blank, dome

shaped set of dies to put an edge on

the disk. Then it gets the regular die

"What's it worth? Oh, I'll say prob-

ably \$25 or so. I see it's been in cir-

culation for nine years. It's a wonder

some coin collector hasn't nabbed it.

I'm going to keep it as a rarity."-

SENSE OF HEARING.

Sound Waves and the Way They Act

Upon the Ears.

The detection of the direction of

sound by the sense of hearing is, like

the rapid focusing of the eye on ob-

jects at different distances, one of

those instinctive operations which are

continually done without any conscious

Sound waves traverse the air as rip-

ples stir the water, and the ear by ex-

perience acquires some slight power of

detecting the direction in one case, as

the eye does with far greater accuracy

in the other. Usually we unconscious-

ly receive assistance from other senses

as well. Often we fail to locate at

once some hidden source of sound.

such as a singing bird, and then our

The intensity of sound is, of course,

by no means so great behind a screen

as in front of it, and every one carries

with him the screen of his own head,

which may prevent a particular sound

from being heard so well by one ear

as by the other. If, then, the head is

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GENOA.

the West Hill church Thursday.

The next day it rained.

This pretty girl item is from the Rosapretty girl talks, men never seem to notice. We had occasion recently to talk to a slam-cracking good looking little hunk of silk. But, ye gods and little fishes! She would say something then giggle, she would giggle between words and before and after words. She was a stunner for looks, but what little she carried in her cupola would not make a load for a hum-

Bill-When all the fools are dead don't want to be alive. Jill-Well, don't worry; you won't be.-Youkers

Mrs. Mike Jones and daughter returned to their home in Dakota after several weeks visit with relatives.

Miss Susie Ziegler came home from Columbus Wednesday and will remain at home until she is able to attend school as she has a severe cold.

Wm. Welch, who has been in Dawson county looking after his land he purchased there a short time ago, returned home the latter part of last week. The village board of Monroe organized

for 1910 by electing H. J. Hill chairman and L. Franklin clerk. F. A. Read was elected water commissioner, and will have charge of the water works plant.

Word comes from Omaha reporting that Eddie Kelley had a successful operation which was last Saturday, and is recovering rapidly. Mr. Kelley who was there during the operation returned home last Saturday.

Bert Bryan arrived this week from Emporia, Kansas, and will remain here this summer and work for his brother Arthur. He left Kansas sometime ago, and was not there when the big storm struck Emporia, but he had heard from all his folks and all the damage they suffered was some out buildings being blown down. His father has sold his large farm and purchased eighteen acres close to Emporia, which makes them very nice home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Terry, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dack and Mr. and Mrs. Hollingshead went to Central City Tuesday to attend the wedding of Neil Hollingshead and Miss Maude Baker of that place. They were married Wednesday and that evening returned here where they went to housekeeping in the residence which Mr. Hollingshead purchased a short time ago. Neil's many friends here wish them a long and happy wedded life and extend congratulations.

HUMPHREY

From the Democrat

Jacob Fisher received a telegram last Friday afternoon conveying the sad intelligence of the death of Robt Moackler which occurred at a hospital in Los Angeles, California, at one o'clock that day. Word had been received a few days before that Robert had submitted to an operation for appendicitis and lat er came the information that he was in a serious condition and so Humphrey peois how the impression is only half on ple were prepared in a way to receive the news of his death, yet the announce ment created the utmost surprise, because Robert's healthy physical condition was considered sufficient to pull him through. We doubt if there was ever a death which caused more profound sorrow among the people of Humphrey than the death of Robert Moackler. He was highly regarded by all his acquaintances for his manly traits of character; brave and generous, he was one of natures noblemen in the truest sense.

It is with extreme sorrow that the Democrat is called upon this week to chronicle the death of Mrs. Geo. W. Clark, which occurred at her home in Pasadena, California, on Wednesday of last week. The news of her death came as a great shock to the many friends of the family in Platte county, and until confirmation of her death came from friends at Pasadena, were our people willing to believe that the jovial and light hearted Mrs. Clark was no more in this land of living. Mrs. Clark visited Humphrey friends several days last summer and it seemed she was unusually bright and cheerful. A few months ago Mr. Clark had a slight stroke of paralysis, but we understand he had completely recovered from the effects of his illness, and it was known that Mrs. Clark's health was not the best for a few weeks past, but her illness was such as to not cause any alarm on the part of her husband.

PLATTE CENTER

The bans of marriage were announced in St. Joseph's church last Sunday between Miss Catheryn Hennessey and Mr. John R Cooney.

Potato bugs are reported unusually thick this spring. Between the frosts and the bugs early planted potatoes are having a discouraging time.

Miss Sparhawk, a trained nurse who has been caring for Mrs. Robert Pinson during her protracted illness, returned to her home in Columbus last Sunday.

Mr. Thos. Mylet arrived home Sunday evening from Seattle, Washington, where he has been since two years ago last March, living with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Pahrman. Mr. Mylet looks hale and hearty, and says he has erjoyed himself very much.

R. W. Perkinson, an old time resident of l'latte Center, arrived here last Thursday evening for a brief visit with relatives. Saturday, in company with his daughter Kittie, he went to Cedar Rapids to visit his daughter, Mrs. W. T. Ripp. This is Mr. Perkinson's first visit to Platte Center in twelve years. His home is in Denver, where be is in railroad employ.

Mrs. Fred Michaelson died early Monday morning at her home some 6 miles northeast of Platte Center. Mrs. Michasylum for several years, but was brought home about six weeks ago. The cause of her death was tuberculosis. She is survived by a husband, four daughters and two sons. The funeral was held Wednesday morning from the Lutheran church in Grand Prairie.

In Stock.

Joker-Do you keep smokeless tobacco? Clerk-Sure, we do. Joker-What kind is it? Clerk-Chewing tobacco. of course.-Cornell Widow.

Down on Rival Plants. Wife-John, the hens have scratched up that eggplant seed you sowed. Hub

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Wind and Temper. There is a closer connection between wind and temper than at first sight appears. A coldish wind has a bracing effect and, on the whole, is beneticial, In countries where hot winds occur periodically, on the other hand, these are regarded as a nuisance, if not a curse. Every one almost gets cross, weary and done up and has a headache daily. In Egypt the season when crimes are commonest is when the hot khamseen blows. Nearly always during a severe sirocco the Arabs in Algeria were restless, if they did not attempt an actual rising. The solano, which now and then rushes across the Mediterranean in fiery blasts from Africa, upsets every one in Spain and is the worst wind in that country. And even in the Pearl of the Antilles the fierce hot wind is such a pest that it is recorded of a family living in Havana that they made it a rule in the household to preserve absolute silence until the wind disappeared. It was the only plan they

Rise of Russia. In the history of Europe down to the niddle of the eighteenth century Russia is a blank. The foundation of the kingdom was laid by Ruric the Norseman in the ninth century. In the tenth century the Russians were Christianized, adopting the Greek form of Christianity. In the thirteenth century the Russians were completely overrun by the Tartars under Garghiz Khan. From the Tartars Russia was delivered by Ivan, who became czar in the time of Elizabeth. It was Peter the Great (1672-1725) who gave Russia for the first time a place in the states system of Europe.-New York American.

could think of to avoid family quar-

The Hypocrite a Genius. Really to be a hypocrite must require a horrible strength of character. An ordinary man such as you or I generally fails at last because he has not enough energy to be a man. But the hypocrite must have enough energy to be two men. It is said that a liar should have a good memory. But a hypocrite must have not only a good memory of the past, but a consistent and creative vision of the future; his unreal self must be so far real to him. The perfect hypocrite should be a trinity of artistic talent. He must be a novelist like Dickens to create a false character. He must be an actor like Garrick to act it. And he must be a business man like Carnegie to profit by it. Such a genius would not be easy to find in any country .- G. K. Chesterton.

Jerusalem. Old Uncle Jasper was buying a posteard in a New Orleans postoffice when a gentleman approaching the next window had a small parcel weighed and stamped for Jerusalem. On this gentleman's departure Uncle Jasper chuckled and said:

"He was jokin', wasn't he?" "Not at all," returned the clerk.

"My, oh, my!" cried Uncle Jasper in an awed tone. "Is it possible ye take letters to Jerusalem? I thought it was

Rough Passage. "I hope and pray," remarked a gentleman as be left the steamer, "that I shall never have occasion to cross the Atlantic again." "Rough passage, eh?" queried a

friend. "Rough is no name for it. I had four kings beat three times."-New



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